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Michael Rosenthal, et al.

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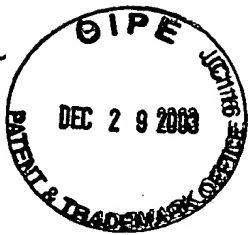
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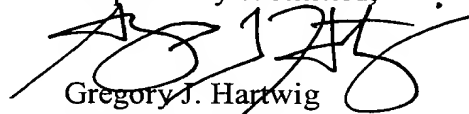
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Sir:

This responds to the Office action mailed on September 25, 2003, for which a response is due December 25, 2003. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 6.